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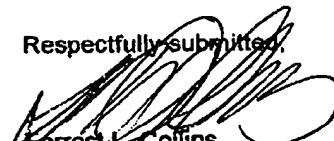
## Communication

Dear Sir:

Per a status conversation of 11 September 06 with Examiner Frank it was learned that the attached 30 June 2006 amendment, and accompanying terminal disclaimer and Declaration Made Under 35 U.S.C. 132 were not entered in the file in response to the 31 January 06 Official Action. The foregoing documents as well as the USPTO dated stamped return receipt postcard are attached to this document. The applicant also paid the fees due by credit card; however, according to USPTO protocol that document is not submitted herewith.

It was also learned in the conversation that Examiner Frank that the CIP status of this application was not recorded by the USPTO. The transmittal letter as well as the second page of the application claim the priority of the prior applications.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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